

## CAREER OPPORTUNITY ANNOUNCEMENT

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AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER, CANDIDATES WILL BE CONSIDERED WITHOUT DISCRIMINATION FOR ANY NONMERIT REASON SUCH AS RACE, COLOR, RELIGION, SEX, NATIONAL ORIGIN, POLITICAL AFFILIATION, MARITAL STATUS, PHYSICAL OR MENTAL HANDICAPS, AGE, OR MEMBERSHIP IN AN EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION.

POSITION TITLE <b>Branch Chief</b>		ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER <b>0060025</b>	DATES: OPENING <b>08/14/00</b> CLOSING (Close of business) <b>08/28/00</b>	EXPIRATION (For "Open Until Filled" vacancies, remove posting on this date)
SERIES <b>0840</b>	GRADE <b>GG-15</b>	KNOWN PROMOTION POTENTIAL TO <b>GG-15</b>	AREA OF CONSIDERATION NATIONWIDE WASHINGTON, DC COMMUTING AREA REGION COMMUTING AREA <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> OTHER NRC Wide	
ORGANIZATION LOCATION <b>Region IV Division of Reactor Projects Reactor Projects Branch D</b>			TYPE OF POSITION BARGAINING UNIT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FULL-TIME <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PART-TIME PERMANENT APPOINTMENT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT INCUMBENT IS SUBJECT TO RANDOM DRUG TESTING <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOT TO EXCEED	
DUTY LOCATION <b>Arlington, TX</b>		TRAVEL REQUIREMENTS <b>20 percent</b>	NAME OF IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR <b>Ken E. Brockman</b>	

1. AN UPDATED SF71 PERSONAL QUALIFICATIONS STATEMENT OR APPLICATION FOR GOVERNMENT EMPLOYMENT OR RESUME
2. AN NRC FORM 115, VACANCY APPLICATION STATUS NOTICE (NRC applicants only);
3. A COPY OF YOUR CURRENT PERFORMANCE APPRAISAL OR A SIGNED STATEMENT THAT IT IS NOT AVAILABLE.
4. NRC APPLICANTS (ONLY); FOUR COPIES OF APPLICATION MATERIALS REQUESTED.
5. THE NRC IS A ZERO-TOLERANCE AGENCY WITH RESPECT TO ILLEGAL DRUG USE.
6. OTHER (Specify):

NOTICE: APPLICATIONS MAY BE REFERRED TO THE RATING ENTITY A MINIMUM OF SIXTEEN (16) CALENDAR DAYS AFTER OPENING DATE

NONBARGAINING UNIT POSITIONS ONLY. CANDIDATES WHOSE PRESENT PROMOTION POTENTIAL DOES NOT EXCEED THE POTENTIAL OF THIS VACANCY MAY NOT BE SUBJECT TO RATING PROCEDURES AND MAY BE REFERRED DIRECTLY TO THE SELECTING OFFICIAL.

DUTIES OF POSITION (If this position is announced at multiple grade levels, these duties describe the full performance level; at lower grade levels the duties may vary slightly and will be performed under supervision.)

Manages and develops the implementation of the routine and reactive inspections program for assigned operating power reactors to assure the safety of NRC licensed facilities and activities and compliance with NRC requirements. Enforces the provisions of NRC permits, licenses, rules, regulations, orders and other directives pertinent to the protection of the public health and safety and to the common defense and security. Supervises resident and region-based inspectors, and provides for their

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QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED (If the position is announced at multiple grade levels, these qualifications describe the full performance level, unless otherwise specified. The position description, immediate supervisor, and/or NRC Manual chapter and Appendix 4108 can be consulted for more detailed qualification requirements and/or interpretation of qualifying experience.)

Thorough understanding of the principles, theories, and practices of nuclear engineering and reactor physics, evidenced by possession of a degree in engineering or equivalent experience. Knowledge of facility management, engineering methods, techniques and practices associated with effective reactor testing and operational programs. Broad knowledge of a variety of inspection approaches and techniques. Candidates must have progressively responsible, professional experience of which at least one year must have been at the next lower grade level.

RATING FACTORS (Applicants are strongly encouraged to submit a statement addressing the Rating listed below.)

ALL APPLICANTS ARE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE A NARRATIVE STATEMENT ADDRESSING THE RATING FACTORS LISTED BELOW.

1. Thorough knowledge of nuclear engineering or reactor physics required to identify and resolve problems from a safety perspective.
2. Knowledge of technical review/analysis techniques in response to event reports, enforcement actions, allegations, investigations and

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FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT

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SEND APPLICATION MATERIALS TO: #						
Human Resources Services & Operations Office of Human Resources	Region I Personnel Officer	Region II Personnel Officer	Region III Personnel Officer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Region IV Personnel Officer		
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D.C. 20555	U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission 475 Allegheny Road King of Prussia, PA 19406	U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission 61 Forsyth Street, SW (25785) Atlanta, GA 30303	U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission 801 Warrenville Road Lisle, IL 60532	U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission 611 Ryan Plaza Drive, Suite 400 Arlington, TX 76011		

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DUTIES OF POSITION - CONTINUED

evaluation and development. Coordinates the systematic assessment of licensee performance (SALP) and Plant Performance Reviews for assigned facilities. Supervises the ongoing technical review/analysis of operating experiences, allegations and emergency response activities at assigned facilities. Individual selected for this position will also be subject to preappointment drug testing unless currently in an NRC position subject to random drug testing.

RATING FACTORS - CONTINUED

- emergency response.
3. Demonstrated ability to: communicate well, both orally and in writing; to establish effective working relationships with all levels of employees and management to foster a motivated team atmosphere; to develop and implement successful approaches to problem-solving and conflict resolution.
  4. Ability or potential to provide technical and programmatic leadership and to effectively utilize human resources. Ability or potential to supervise a technical staff as demonstrated by success in formulating program goals and objectives, planning program activities, coordinating and managing technical personnel, establishing methods for evaluating the effectiveness of work programs or procedures, and reviewing and evaluating technical findings and conclusions.
  5. Demonstrated ability to understand NRC policy, take direction, and effectively implement policy.

EXECUTIVE AGENCIES ARE PROHIBITED FROM ACCEPTING OR CONSIDERING APPLICANTS FOR COMPETITIVE APPOINTMENTS OR POSITIONS BASED ON POLITICAL RECOMMENDATIONS FROM MEMBERS OF CONGRESS, CONGRESSIONAL EMPLOYEES, ELECTED STATE OR LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, AND POLITICAL PARTY OFFICIALS. SUCH OFFICIALS MAY ONLY SUPPLY STATEMENTS REGARDING THE CHARACTER AND RESIDENCE OF THE APPLICANT.